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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (currently amended) A method for patent licensing which comprises
- (a) providing a web site listing a plurality of patents available for unilateral license; (b) providing on the web site together with copies of at least one unilateral license form associated with at least one listed patent; and
- (c) providing a means on the web site for a user to accept a unilateral license for a listed patent .
- 2. (original) The method according to claim 1, wherein the web site does not require a sign-in procedure on the part of any potential licensee.
- 3. (original) The method according to claim 2, which further comprises providing a copy of the unilateral license which can be viewed by any potential licensee without a potential licensee having to indicate interest in a particular listed patent.
- 4. (original) The method according to claim 3, which further comprises providing a list of patents available for unilateral license which can be viewed by any potential licensee without a potential licensee having to indicate interest in a particular listed patent.
- (original) The method according to claim 2, which further comprises sending an acknowledgement form to a licensee after said licensee indicates acceptance of a unilateral license.
- 6. (original) The method according to claim 4, which further comprises sending an invoice to a licensee after said licensee indicates acceptance of a unilateral license.
- 7. (original) The method according to claim 1, wherein at least one unilateral license form associated with a listed patent is an exclusive unilateral license form, which method further comprises indicating on the web site that the listed patent is no longer available for licensing if a licensee has indicated acceptance of an exclusive unilateral license for said listed patent.
- 8. (original) The method according to claim 1, wherein a first listed patent is associated a first unilateral license and a second listed patent is associated with a second unilateral license, which second unilateral license differs from the first unilateral license.

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- 9. (original) The method according to claim 1, wherein the unilateral license form lists different initial royalty payments that are dependent on the age of the listed patent.
- 10.(original) The method according to claim 1, wherein a royalty can be calculated according to the unilateral license form.
- 11. (original) The method according to claim 1, wherein a royalty is listed on the web site and the unilateral license form refers to the royalty listed on the web site.
- 12. (currently amended) The method according to claim 1, wherein a listed patent is associated with a plurality of unilateral licenses <u>each having different terms</u>.
- 13. (original) The method according to claim 12, wherein the listed patent is associated with at least one exclusive unilateral license.